PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION



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April 12, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes

- 1. Call to Order: Regular meeting called to order at 7 PM by Chairman Davidson
- 2. Members Present: S. Davidson, P. Wray, S. Stephanski, D. Nieminen & Alt. J. Hodge

Members Absent: J. Zonfrilli & Alternates T. Sweet & B. Muschiano

Staff: S. Choquette

- 3. Seating of Alternate: J. Hodge
- **4.** <u>Motion to Add Citizen Comments to the Agenda</u>. Motion made and seconded by P. Wray/S. Stephanski, *MOTION PASSED Unanimously*.
- **5. Approval of Minutes:** Motion to approve February Minutes made and seconded by S. Stephanski/P. Wray; *MOTION PASSED Unanimously*.
- **6.** <u>Citizen Comments:</u> Trish Sullivan & Hank Riccardi of 4 Beach Pond Rd.; Spoke to follow up complaint made to the ZEO on April 12, 2023 regarding illegal home business located at 479 Beach Pond Rd. (operating a saw mill and sale of firewood from the residence). A written statement was provided to the commission along with telephone video of a logs being delivered to the residence.

The commission will follow up the ZEO regarding his initial findings at the property and told the complainant's that without evidence of a home business, (advertisements, etc.) it was their word against that of the owner of 479 Beach Pond Rd. Stating it is a rural community and many residents own saw mills, have logs delivered to be split into firewood for personal use.

7. Old Business:

- a. Zoning Regulation Project Update Discussion regarding changing the numbering. All other matters regarding the projected where continued to the next meeting when the Planner will be in attendance.
- b. Resignation of Secretary. S. Choquette Chairman Davidson gave an update on the interviews taking place. A brief discussion took place on how to move forward, reviewing resumes and sitting in on interviews.
- **8.** Correspondence: Cease & Desist, North Shore Rd., building without a permit.
- **9.** <u>Adjourn:</u> Motion made and seconded by (J. Hodge/S. Stephanski) to adjourn, with no objection, meeting adjourned at 7:47 PM

Approved:		
Chairman/Authorized Signer	Date	